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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

In response to the restriction requirement set forth in the Office Action mailed November 1, 2004, Applicant hereby provisionally elects Group II, Claims 6-20, drawn to a method of making a semiconductor device, classified in class 438, subclass 752. Applicant reserves the right to file a divisional application on the non-elected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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